



Attorney's Docket No. TAN-339  
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 1774  
OTSUHATA et al. ) Examiner: Bruce H. Hess  
Serial No.: 10/500,360 )  
Filed: June 30, 2004 )  
For: **THERMALLY SENSITIVE RECORDING MEDIUM**

**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22314-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of April 28, 2005, with a three month shortened statutory period to respond set to expire on July 28, 2005. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

In view of the following remarks and claim amendments, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the rejections and allow all claims as presently claimed in this application.